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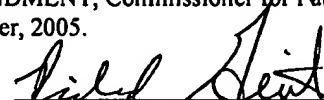
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed July 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Claims As Pending are reflected in the listing that begins on page 2 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this response.